

***RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
EXAMINING GROUP 2164***

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of  
GEORG BAUER

Atty. Docket  
DE 020233

Confirmation No. 8158

Serial No. 10/531,602

Group Art Unit: 2164

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Title: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR PROCESSING ELECTRONIC DOCUMENTS

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Honorable Commissioner for Patents  
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AMENDMENT UNDER §1.116

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed on December 8, 2008, please amend the above-identified application and consider the remarks as follows: